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Form 10-445

1. STATE Annapolis, Maryland COUNTY

TOWN STREET NO. 12 Church Circle

ORIGINAL OWNER ORIGINAL USE commercial PRESENT OWNER PRESENT USE commercial-offices Garret WALL CONSTRUCTION modern - shingling NO. OF STORIES two (plus low attic)

HISTORIC AMERICAN BUILDINGS SURVEY INVENTORY

2 NAME Basil Building

DATE OR PERIOD Mid to Late 19th C. Greek Revival ARCHITECT BUILDER

3. FOR LIBRARY OF CONGRESS USE

4. NOTABLE FEATURES, HISTORICAL SIGNIFICANCE AND DESCRIPTION

OPEN TO PUBLIC YES

12 Church Circle has a very definite Greek, or at least ante · Civil War, feeling about it - low pitch of metal roof, chimney, handsome windows on 2nd floor (0/6) with shutters - and with Greek lintels with dentils on them. The building, may, however, be another Annapolis post Civil War building that looks stylistically earlier. The 1st floor has two offices with larger windows and the siding is modern asphalt. There is a fine bracketed cornice with modillions - Victorian. The building's three shades of blue is attractive - especially amidst so much brick.



5. PHYSICAL CONDITION OF STRUCTURE Endangered

Interior

good



6. LOCATION MAP (Plan Optional)

8. PUBLISHED SOURCES (Author, Title, Poges) INTERVIEWS, RECORDS, PHOTOS, ETC.

7. PHOTOGRAPH 9. NAME, ADDRESS AND TITLE OF RECORDER

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